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~~AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2646, AS REPORTED~~
~~OFFERED BY MR. TIERNEY OF MASSACHUSETTS~~

AMENDMENT NO. _____ At the end of the bill, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 932. REPORT REGARDING GENETICALLY ENGINEERED**
2 **FOODS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than one year after
4 funds are made available to carry out this section, the Sec-
5 retary of Agriculture, acting through the National Acad-
6 emy of Sciences, shall complete and transmit to Congress
7 a report that includes recommendations for the following:

8 (1) DATA AND TESTS.—The type of data and
9 tests that are needed to sufficiently assess and
10 evaluate human health risks from the consumption
11 of genetically engineered foods.

12 (2) MONITORING SYSTEM.—The type of Federal
13 monitoring system that should be created to assess
14 any future human health consequences from long-
15 term consumption of genetically engineered foods.

16 (3) REGULATIONS.—A Federal regulatory
17 structure to approve genetically engineered foods
18 that are safe for human consumption.

1 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
2 authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Agri-
3 culture \$500,000 to carry out this section.

